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Responding to Critical Abstracted	§
Platform Events in a Data	§
Processing System	§

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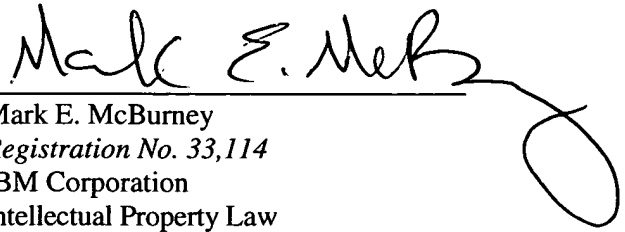
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